THE COURTS.

Vanderbilt and the Lake Shore Railroad Injunction.

Important Decision by Judge Tappen.

ARRAIGNMENT OF PRISONERS.

Business of the Courts for the February Term.

Elias Preiburg was vesterday held for examination by Commissioner Shields on a charge of using cigarette boxes with cancelled revenue stamps upon them, with intent to defraud the revenue. for Saturday next.

The examination in the case of Gustave W. Ball. charged with complicity in smuggling, which was to have been held yesterday by United States Commissioner Osborn, was again adjourned until

The assignment of judges for the trial of cases before jurors in the Marine Court for the present serm is-Judge McAdam, in Part 1; Judge Alker-Part 2: Chief Justice Shea, Part 3, and Judge Gross for Special Term, Chambers.

THE LAKE SHORE INJUNCTION. Some time ago a temporary injunction was obtained from Judge Tappen enjoining the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad Company from paying a dividend of three and a quarter per cent, declared last December. A motion to make the injunction permanent has been denied, Judge

Tappen writing

The OFINION.

SUPREME COURT, SPECIAL TERM, JANUARY, 1875.—
Jacob Robino vs. The Lake Snore Railroad Company and others.—Tappen, J.—The plaining, being an owner of certain shares of stock and of certain somes of stock and of certain shores of the railroad, brings this action against the company and the several persons forming the Board of Directors, to restrain them from paying to the shareholders a dividend upon the stock. The Union Trust Company are also made defendants upon certain allegations.

It may otherwise be stated as an action in equity by the plaintiff, alleging that the defendants are making, or about to make, an improvident or rilegal use of the assets of the company, which are past due, and the umission to satisfy demands and obligations against the company, which are past due, and the umission to satisfy which will render the property of the company hable to immediate seizure and saie, thereby placing in imminent danger and jeopardy the rights of property therein of the shareholders, to their great prejudice and damage.

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The Lake Shore Company is a railway corporation owning and operating a line of railway from Buñalo to Onicago, being a distance of oetween 500 and 600 miles, with branch railways to other places to the extent of about 400 miles.

The capital stock is \$50,000,000, and there is a standing bonded debt, which is stated at something over \$30,000,000, secred by mortgage on the railway property and purchases.

On the list day of July, 1870, the company executed to the Union Trust Company
to secure bonds to the amount of \$75,000,000, to be assued with the interest thereon. Twenty one millions of dollars of those bonds were reserved to be issued to meet the outstanding mortgage debt on the several distinct portions of the railway. By the company's annual report of December, 1871, the proceeds of sale of \$4,150,000 of new bonds are stated at \$3,859,610, and the total issue of bonds under this consolidated mortgage is now stated at \$5,500,000. In addition to paying interest on the bonded debt, and all taxes, assessments and other charges it was stipulated in the mortgage that the railway company should pay to the trust company an annual sum of at least \$250,000 on the 1st day of July in each year as a sinking fund for the gradual redemption of the debt, this judgment to be made in money or by

the trust company an annual sum of at least \$250,000 on the 1st day of July in each year as a sinking fund for the gradual redemption of the debt, this judgment to be made in money or by derivery to the trust company of the same amount of outstanding mortgage bonds.

In case the railway company made default in any of the payments of the principal or interest of bonds due or becoming due, or of the payments to the sinking fund, or

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in other payments specified in the mortgage, the trust company were authorized to take possession of the railway, its braineds, rolling stock and property generally, to hold the same as mortgages in possession, and to use and operate the same, and they were further authorized, in case of any such default, to sell the mortgaged property at public action, in the city of New York, and apply the proceeds to expenses, debts, &c.

The plantiff, on exhibiting his complaint, obtained a temporary injunction restraining the payment of a dividend, which had been declared by the directors in December, 1874, upon the stock of the company, payable on the 181 of February, 1875, and on the return day of the injunction the plantiff moved to make it permanent.

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The defendants opposed the motion and asked a dissolution of the injunction, upon the ground that the plaintiff is a speculative and not a bond face owner of the stock, he appearing to have acquired the same on the 9th of January, 1875, some days after the dividend was declared and known to him, and upon the further ground that the Court will not exert its equitable jurisdiction to restrain or direct the board of Directors in the management of the road and its resources and property unless some paipable violation of law shall be established or a waste of the trust estate be made manifest, and the defendants claim that such is not the case here. It is further averred that a material statement of fact in the plaintiff's compaint is unitrue, the fact being as to the instalments toward the sinking fund, and the dendants addaytis, showing that such sixing find has been provided for. It appears by the proofs that there were retired and delivered to the Trust Company to be cancelled the sum of \$489,000 of bonds of the Cleveland and Ashiabula Ralicoad Company, being one of the roads owned by the defendants. This transaction is said to have been in July, 1874; and further that the railroad company have since paid to the Trust Company have since paid to the Trust Company the sum of \$11,000,000, which it is alreged meets the sinking fund covenant for the four years following the making of the mortigage, to wit, for the years [871-2-3-4. The defendants claim that the sinking fund instalments cannot be exacted by the Trust Company until the clause, by making present payment of the sinking fund instalments. A deposition of Cyrus P. Leland, and the substance of a statement made by him to the Board of Directors on December 25, 1874, and on which the directors acted in ascertaining and Declaring the Dividend In Section of the six months, ending with December 31, 1874, December partiy estim-

It is entitled "Business of the six months, endir with December 31, 1874, December partly esti-

The statement shows: Gross earnings Operating expenses and taxes Total net earnings \$5,097,248
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The plaintiff questions the accuracy of this state-The plaintiff questions the accuracy of this state-ment, and the truth of the allegation that the singular land has been provided with \$1,000,000 in cash and bonds, as alleged by the derendants; it win be observed that no provision for the sinking fund is made in the above statement.

I do not think it necessary to discuss the facts of the case going to the merits of the action any further for the purposes of this return. All the tacts may become the juriner subjects of indury in the further prosecution of the action of at the trust.

Course of equity will assert inrisdiction to in-

Courts of equity will assert jurisdiction to inquire into the proceedings of a corporation on a
proper case made. A corporation must act
inrough its officers and directors; yet, while they
have greater powers, they have no greater rights
than stockholders; they are the agents or trusters, as the case may be, of the latter, and may be
called to an account in an action in equity, within
the chartered powers and general statutes, and
by laws governing or touching a body corporate,
the directors and officers may exercise a fun
authority and discretion as to the management of
a corporation and its assets.

Such management is always deemed to be for
the interest of the stockholders, and yet if the
officers and directors, projecting themselves in
power by a majority of the shares, shall commit
a clear violation of duty, or refuse to be guided by
the law and the rules touching their powers and
duties, the Court will give audience to and entertain an action for suitable relief by a stockholder,
whose property in the corporation is therefore
placed in jeopardy.

This question is very fully examined in Heath vs.
Brie Railway, 8 Bla chord, 392, and the discussion thereon largely noted, and both the directors
and the corporation may be joined as parties defendant. M. Robbins vs. Smith, 3 Paise, 222. A
sharebolder was awarded a standing in court to
maintain such an action, and this latter case was
a bill in chancery by stockholders of the New York
coal Company against the directors, charging
them with improvident conduct in the management of the trout, and the chancelor held that
the corporation and the directors might be joined
as defendants.

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statute 2. R. S., 452, and before the statute this jurisdiction was exercised in Chancery under its equity powers. (Ogden vs. Kip, 6 Johnson's Chancery, 160; Attorney General vs. Utica Insurance Company, 2 Johnson, 389; Charitable Corporation vs. Sutton, 2 Atkinson, 401.) In the caveat law the plannings status is that of a bondholder or creditor and also that of a shareholder or member of the corporation. In the case of Marsh vs. The Eastern Rallway, 40 N. Y., page 545, the Court says that

the plaintiffs status is that of a bondholder or creeftor and also that of a shareholder or member of the corporation. In the case of March vs. The Eastern Reliwal, 40 N. 1., page 548, the Court says that outers op progress of the corporations at the instance of one or more of their members to apply preventive remedies to prevent any misapplication of capital or profits which lessen dividends or the value of shares provided, and this provise should be noted; the acts intended to be done create what is in law denominated a breach of trust.

The plaintiff has brought into Court in this section the Lake Shore Railway as a corporation and its several directors and the Union Trust Company. The directors of the railway are the trustices of the shareholders, and the Union Trust Company hold the \$25,000,000 mortgage in trustion these who hold bonds which the mortgage was given to secure or provide for. It will be seen, therefore, that all parties, plaintiff and defendants, are properly before the Court for the prosecution of an action, if a proper case can be made out. And here we come to the consideration of the principal act complained of by the plaintiff. It is the use of \$1,600,000 to pay a decitared dividend to the stareholders, and the ground for the complaining of this act is, incidentally, that the directors about a dividend, and, principally, that the directors about a dividend, and, principally, that the directors are properly of the shareholders in the corporation by exposing it to the hability of minediate setzure and sale. If the lacts established the state of the court needs to be carefully applied. If the directors have made good the snaking lund installment, as they claim, the plaintiff's chief cause of complaint disappears. He says they have not paid such installment, but in the condition in which the question is left by the allegations and proofs on either side on this motion that fact must be determined on the trial of the action. For the purposes of this motion it will be assumed that the decidend,

or clear excess of chartered powers, and particularly where the act has the apparent approval of sharehoiders, an injunction has been refused. (Lord vs. Copper Miners, 2 Platt, 741.) An injunction has been refused a stockholder against the use of funds by the directors for a certain purpose. And the Court has refused to enions a stock dividend, it appearing not to be an illegal though it might be an injudicious act. (Howell vs. Chicago and Northwestern Railway, 50 N. Y., 378.) In this case the power to increase the capital was relied on to justify and legalize the stock dividend, and the Court says, "it does not appear that any fraudnient intent existed on the part of the directors in making the dividend." The powers of the Court are further discussed in Belmont vs. Eric Railway, 52 Barbour, 637, and the bona fides of the suitor also came in question in that case. I do not discuss questions in this case which may more property be presented at any future stage of the action, but, governed by the apparent facts of the case on the motion, I conclude.

1. That the declaration of the dividend does not

that power will not be interfered with in the case now made.

3. That the plaintiff's acquisition of the stock after such dividend was declared and made known does not prevent this maintenance of the action for the establishment of such facts and the demand for such relief as may be advised; but that it does go to to the question of enjoining payment of such dividend to the other and seemingly the great body of shareholders. By reason of these conclusions, and within the rule that where the whole equity of the bill is denied, your injuction will not be continued, and the powers of the Court should be exercised with caution, deliberation and sound discretion. (Boswell, 27, 682.)

The motion to continue the injunction pendente life is denied.

'DECISIONS.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT. ing decisions in cases which had been taken before the United States Circuit Court, on appeal from

the decisions of the District Court:—
The Second National Bank of Eric vs. The Ocean National Bank.—Motion for new trial denied.

Boston, Newport and New York Steamboat
Company vs. The Propeller Oceanus.—Libel diswith costs.
William Phillips et al. vs. the steamboat Anna
in the steamboat Carrie.—Decree for the libel-

lants, with costs.

W. W. Evans vs. the Wilkesbarre Coal Company barge No. 129.—Label dismissed, with costs.

Afred R. Spear et al. vs. the propeller Titian.—
pectee for the libellants for their damages, with costs.

SUPREME COURT-CHAMBERS.

By Judge Lawrence.
Wilcox Silver Plate Company vs. Green; Obermann vs. World Mutual Life Insurance Company.— Opinions.
Gilman vs. Gilman.—Order settled. Bright vs. Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Com-

pany.—Motion denied.
Butler vs. Wehi—Suelvel vs. Shinnuel.—Granted.
Gill vs. Gnardan Savings' Institution—Hofman
vs. Treadwell—Randolph vs. Williams.—Memoran-

Devlin vs. Devlin.—Order granted. Wait vs. Weiler.—Motion granted. Hoffman vs. Treadwell.—Allowance grauted. Russell vs. Russell.—Decree denied. Treadwell vs. Hoffman.—Allowance granted. Sutton vs. Sutton.—Denied. COMMON PLEAS SPECIAL TERM

Stants vs. Bristow.—Receiver appointed. Mem-orandum for counsel.

Pike vs. Conen et al.—Injunction modified.
Opinion.

ARRAIGNMENT OF PRISONERS. In the United States Circuit Court yesterday the following prisoners were arraigned before Judge Benedict to plead:—Serrapio Serpa, charged with selling smuggled digarettes, pleaded guitty, with selling smuggled cigarettes, pleaded gulity, and was discbarged on his own recognizance; Samuel Woodward and Josiah Parkin pleaded gulity to robung the mails; Samuel Hoyt, charged with the same offence, pleaded not gulity; Robert B. Leitch pleaded gulity to forgery; William Walker, colored, charged with breaking open ham:-post letter boxes, and stealing letters therefrom, pleaded not guilty; Edward Woodward and Damel Bennett, charged with receiving articles stolen from the mails, pleaded not guilty. The accused were all remanded for sentence, and the Court adjourned until Saturday next.

BUSINESS OF THE COURTS FOR FEBRUARY.

There are unusually full calendars in all the State courts for the February term, and present Indications are that judges and lawyers, to say nothing of clients, will have their time fully oc-cupied with suits awaiting trial. As usual the list of causes embraces a wide diversity of suits; legal contests between large rational corporations, interpretation of contracts, adjustment of im portant commercial questions, construction of wills, et id genus omne. The multiplicity of saits against the city—there being no less than thirteen in the calendar of one court—mis long since ceased to be a marvel, since Comptroller Green prefers incurring heavy expenses for litigations instead of promptly paying honest debts. Obviously this branen of litigation will only be diminished by the removal of the present head of our financial bureau. In the Supreme Court there will be no session of the General ferm during February, this month being necessarily occupied in the decision of cases argued during the last month. In Special Term Judge Van Vorst will preside, Judge Van Bront will hold Circuit, Part 2; Judge Donoine Circuit, Part 3, and Judge Lawrence, Chambers. The Oyer and Terminer will continue to be presided over by Judge Barrett, who, in his brief period on the bench, has exhibited unusual ability as a criminal jurist. The most important on the calendar is that of Scannel, awaiting retrial, but the case is aardiy likely to be reached, as his counsel, Mr. Beach, is engaged in the Tilton-Beecher trial, Then from present, appearances, premises wills, et la genus omne. The multiplicity of suits

of March.
In the Superior Court the General Term will be held by Judges Monroe, Preedman and Van Vorst.
Judge Sedgewick will hold Special Term; Judge Spier Circuit, Part 1, and Judge Curus Circuit,
Part 2.

Spier Circuit, Part 1, and Judge Curus Circuit, Part 2.
There will be no General Term of the Court of Common Pieas, the judges of this court also requiring time to prepare their decisions of cases argued last term. Judge Loew will hold Equity Term, Judge Robinson Chambers, Judge Larremore Part 1, Trial Term, and Judge J. F. Daly Part 2, Trial Term.

Since the judges have begun to enforce more stringently the rules regarding the attendance of jurors it is not likely that those summoned to do jury duty will be as "backward in coming forward" as heretofore. During last year the fines collected for non-attendance of jurors amounted to \$20,040—an item which it is worth while to those summoned as jurors, in the language of the immortal Jack Bunsby, "to make note of."

TOMBS POLICE COURT. Before Judge Kilbreth.

A BOLD YOUNG SWINDLER. A young man of fine appearance and pleasing address, named Rutger Teel, was arraigned at this Court yesterday afternoon on a charge of swin-dling. His easy manners and glib powers, together with his previous connection with the parties whom he swindled, made it a comparatively easy task for him to victimize them. It appears ties whom he swindled, made it a comparatively easy task for him to victimize them. It appears that until quite recently he was a clerk in the employ of Mr. Mark Marque, at No. 40 West Houston street, for whom he old a great deal of business. During the early part of the present month Mr. Marque discouraged him, since which time he has been doing nothing, his late diegal activity excepted. It was his wont during his service to Mr. Marque to make credit purchases on that gentleman's name, a fact which, he thought, on the 23d of this month, to turn to his own advantage. On the day named be called at the store of Mr. U. Watzhoter, No. 236 South Washington square, and saw the clerk, Mr. Abraham Schiller, of whom he purchased \$73.75 worth of tobacco on the credit of his late employer. After the sale had been made and the bill presented to Mr. Marque it was discovered that the transaction was a swindle, and police scarch was made for Teel. Yesterday he returned to the store of Mr. Walzhofer and attempted to make another purchase on the same basis. While the cierk engaged him exhibiting new samples the proprietor sent out for an officer, who arrived in a few minutes and affected Teel. When arraigned Teel said he had no answer to make in regard to the charge preferred against him. While the Judge was signing the commitment slip in the case a gentleman named sutton, of No. 23c Canal street, slipped up to the desk, and said he had a charge to make against the prisoner. He swore that on the 23d of January Feel went to his store, and on the plea that he was still Mr. Marque's clerk, obtained \$49.25 worth of leaf to-bacco. Sutton's affidant was filed with the other and Teel was committed for trial.

DISHORST DOMESTIC.

DISHONEST DOMESTIC. On the 30th of last September Mr. Charles Milwho disappeared very mysteriously. By a strange coincidence he the same day lost \$97 under the coincidence he the same day lost \$97 under the foliowing circumstances:—About noon of the date mentioned Eliza Heir, the servant, came to him on the first floor of the house and said that his wife, who was up stairs, wanted the key of the bureau drawers. He gave them to her, and shortly afterward she disappeared. Last week she was seen in Jersey City and an officer sent after her. When arraigned she had nothing to say in reference to the charge and was locked up for trial.

THE TAPPING. Thomas Peat, who keeps bar at No. 61 Oliver street, having gone to a ball on Friday night, very naturally felt a little sleepy yesterday morning. Business being slack he thought he would take a little nap, and to that end he asked Pat Carney and Joe Boss, two frequenters of nis house, to keep watch and guard, and see to it that to one walked off with the goods. After delivering this injunction he composed nimself in his easy chair behind the bar and cozed off. In a short while the men woke him, saying they wanted to leave. He roused himself and bid them goodby. When he went to the till to make change for a customer who came in just as they were feaving he found that money amounting to \$60 had been stolen, together with a gold and a sliver watch worth \$25. He went to Boss' house in Oliver street and had him arrested. Carney he could not find. Boss pleaded not guity, and was held in default of \$2,000 to answer at the General Sessions.

MICHAEL GREMAN HELD. street, having gone to a ball on Friday night,

MICHAEL GERMAN HELD. Michael German, charged with having severely stabbed Peter Croker, the prize fighter, was held

DISORDERLY HOUSE KEEPERS. Henry and Matilda Schmidt, of No. 451 Pearl street, and Mary Weinheimer, of No. 29 New Chambers street, were held on charge of keeping disor-derly houses.

JEFFERSON MARKET POLICE COURT. Before Judge Kasmire.

DANGEROUS STABBING AFFRAY William Livingston was held yesterday to await the result of injuries inflicted by him on Lawrence Missait, of No. 80 Horatio street, on Thursday night. Both men were fighting when Livingston drew a knile and stabbed Missait in the abdomen, indicting a wound which the doctors fear will prove latal.

ANOTHER STABBING MATCH. On Thursday night Thomas McWilliams, Charles Bughes, George Gannon and Patrick Sheridan were quarrelling on Thirty-sixth street, near Ninth avenue. During the scuille Sheridan go stabbed in the right side and was brought to the Reception Hospital in Ninety-ninth street. Office Murphy arrested McWilliams, Hughes and Gannon and yesterday they were held for further examination by Judge Kasmire.

A STAGE DRIVER ARRESTED. William Boyle, a driver of a Broadway stage, was yesterday held for running over John Schwartz, on the corner of Broadway and Fourteenth street, and breaking his leg. Mr. Schwartz was attempting to cross Broadway at the time. Officer McCahill of the Twenty-fifth precinct witnessed the adair and arrested the driver.

ANOTHER BUN OVER OUTRAGE. Thomas Burns attempted to jump on the front platform of car No. 97, of the Eighth avenue railroad, when it was passing the corner of Hudson and Bank streets. The driver, Richard Robinson, seeing him to be partly intoxicated, pushed him off and he fell on the track. The car passed over his arm and crushed it terribly. Robinson was held to await the result of Burns' injuries.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET COURT. Before Judge Bixby. A WARNING TO YOUNG WOMEN.

The particulars of a sad case came to light at this court yesterday. To young people of both sexes its lesson should be a warning. A young girl named Maggie Connelly, seventeen years o age, whose beauty and lady-like appearance at-tracted general attention, was placed at the bar tracted general attention, was placed at the bar o answer a charge of faise pretences. Mr. John Goodwin, of No. 568 Lexington avenue, complained that the prisoner had obtained a dollar from him on the faise representation that she had been authorized by Father No.Kenna to collect money for the amport of orphans connected with the Dominican church in Sixty-sixth street and Lexington avenue. Mr. Goodwin subsequently learned that there were no orphans belonging to that church and that Father McKenna had authorized no one to collect money. Father McKenna also church and that Father McKenna had authorized no one to collect money. Father McKenna iso testified, and denied naving ever before seen the defendant. She admitted the charge and produced the subscription book, which snowed that she had made about a dozen other collections, varying from twenty-five cents to \$1.50. Her excuse was that companions who were in the habit of making this a regular business had induced her to go out once, but that she did not repeat the experiment to make moner. She lived with her mother, who had, she admitted, with tears, endeavored to bring her up well. Waywardness and love of evil company had, however, brought ber to her present position, from which a life of two years in a conventual not the sufficient to save her. She was committed for trial at the General Sessions in default of \$500 ball. She will probably go to the State Prison, unless the elemency of the Court shall save her. UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30, 1875. No. 157, Vermilye et al. vs. Adams Express Company-appeal from the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York.- The appellants claimed to own five seven-thirty notes of \$1,000 each and three like notes of \$100 each, which they sent for redemption. The Adams Express Company also claimed ownership, alleging that the notes had been stolen from its possession. Each of the claimants notified the government not to pay to the other, urging that the adverse claim was unlounded, the appellants alleging purchase in good faith and the express company denying it, and averring that the appellants and notice of the increasy before their purchase, and that they must also have known from the appearance of the notes that they had lost their negotiable character. The decision was that, as the notes were purchased by the appellants after inaturity, they could not be regarded as bona kie purchasers, without notice, and held notaling but the actual title of him who sold to them. It was also decided that there was no lorce in the suggestion of the appellants, that the notes were a part of the currency of the country, and were therefore entitled to be placed on a different looting from ordinary commercial paper. Although there was no evidence of any transier to the express company by a bank or other person, still the company had a right to recover as bailers, having a special property in the sent for redemption. The Adams Express Com-

callers for the loss of the notes, and having paid the value of the notes in disonarge of such hability they were, in equity, enthied to the same position as if there had been an assignment to the company of all the title of the baliers of the notes. The decree was therefore for the company, and the grounds thereof are assigned here as error. Join E. Burrill for Vermiye & Co., C. A. Seward and T. P. Chapman for the company.

No. 156. Garrison va. The City of New York—Error to the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York.—Garrison, a chizen of New Jersey, brought his action arainst the corporation of the city of New York for the amount of an award made to bim for lands required in widening and straightening Broadway between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-flith atreets. The plaintif and, under the special act of 1869, providing for the alteration of the map of the city, an award for \$40.005 for his damages, occasioned by the widening of Broadway. By the act of 1871, in relation to the opening of Broadway, it was provided that any award which had been previously made, in which there might be error, trregularity, mistake or oppression, should be set aside on motion by the city, and the matter be reterred back for a new assessment. Under this act Garrison's award was set aside and this action was brought to recover the amount. The Court below held the act of 1871, under which the award was set aside, to be a bar to the action and it was adjudged accordingly. The plaintiff in error here insists upon the same acgument offered below, that the act of 1871 is unconstitutional and void. Occause rejugnant both to the constitution of the State on New York in that it undertakes to divert vested rights contrary to law and without due process. George F. Curtis and J. C. Shaw for plaintiff in error; A. J. Vanderpoel and E. Delateld Smith for city.

No. 180. The Narragansett Steamship Company vs. Pouton, Valpey et al., and

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to divert vested rights contrary to law and without due process. George P. Curits and J. C. Shaw for planntiff in error; A. J. Vanderpoel and E. Delafield Smith for city.

No. 160. The Narragansest Steamship Company vs. Pouton, Valpey et al., and Same vs. Pouton, Pouton, Valpey et al., and Same vs. Pouton, Protest al.—Appeals from the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York.—These were cross libels. The libel in the first case was filed by Pouton, as owner of the bark George Brown, against the steamer Bristol, to recover damages as for a total loss, occasioned by a collision with the steamer on Long Island Sound, June 28, 1869. The master and crew of the oark setting forth that they lost personal effects were made collocaliants with Pouton. The libel in the other case was in personan filed by the Narragansett Company, owners of the steamer, against the persons supposed to be the owners of the bark, to recover damages sustained by the steamer in the collision. The libel filed by the owners of the bark charged the steamer with general nucklifulness and neglect, and, among other things, an high rate of speed. The nibel of the steamer charged upon the bark neglect and violation of the maritime rune, in that, among other way give nonce of her presence. The decree was against the steamboat on the ground principally that she was running at an excessive rate of Speed. The bark was recovered and repaired and was claimed by the appellants to be worth as much as before the injury, and upon this proof the claimants contended that the measure of damages was the cost of recovering and repairing. The Commissioner finding that the recovering and repairing the bark before the collision. The Commissioner finding that the recovering and repairing the bark before the collision and found its value to be \$28,000. For this amount the award was made and a further award for upward of \$33,000 was made to the master and erew on account of the loss of their personal effects. The District Court entered a decree upon this award,

INTERESTING DIVORCE SUIT.

The case of Isaac W. Valentine against Virginia, his wife, formerly Miss Woodin, which has been on for some time before County Judge Armstrong as referee, at his chambers in Jamaica, has just been closed, and Judge Armstrong will in a new days make his report to the Supreme Court. The suit is for an absolute divorce and the custody of an only child. Valentine was married to Miss Woodin at Roslyn, in 1868, he being then twentywoodin at Roslyn, in 1888, he being then twentythree years old and she sixteen years
and eight months. After marriage they
at once commenced nousekeeping. Before she was
elighteen years old she bore him a daughter. Subsequently there was a second child, but it lived
only a snort time. She leit her husband and returned to her father's house in 1871, taking the
daughter with her—a step in which she does not
appear to have encountered much, if any, opposition on the part of her husband. Early in 1874 he
commenced the present action against her for
absolute divorce, alleging adultery as the principal reason way a decree should issue in his lavor.
The adultery is alleged to have been committed with a young man of twenty-two
years, named Charles Potter, who boarded
at her father's hytel, near the railway depot at
Roslyn, and witnesses were brought to swear that
she had visited an old woman named Remsen, living in the neighborhood, with the view to procuring an abortion. The testimony is very voluminous and very conflicting, and the decision rests
much on the credibility of the opposing witnesses.
The case has attracted a great deal of attention
throughout Queens county, where the parties are
well known. Valentine has also sued young Potter
in a civil suit for seduction, laying his damages
at \$100,000, and the case is on the Circuit Court
calendar for April.

EXCISE ON STATEN ISLAND.

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The number of licenses granted by the Board of Excise of the village of Edgewater is as follows:-For Middletown, eighty-two, amounting to \$2,460; Southfield, thirty-eight, amounting to \$1,140. Total, \$3,600. The old board will meet during the coming week to square accounts and have the books in readiness to turn over to tue board to be elected under the new law of the town elections—three for each town—to be held on the 9th of February.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

ENGAGED.

OBERFELDER-ROSENTHAL.-Mr. SAMUEL OBER-FELDER, of Eureka, Nevada, to Miss Emma Rosen-THAL, of New York city. No cards.

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Hamilton—O'Donnel.—On December 5, 1874, by
the Rev. J. J. White, Walfer S. Hamilton to Anna
Louise O'Donnel, both of this city. No cards.
HOOPER—Williams.—On the 28th inst., by the
Rev. George Putnam. D. D., James R. Hooper to
GERTRUDE F., daughter of the late George P. WilHaus, all of Boston.

"Langspory—Lederer.—In this city, on Wednes-

Rev. George Putnam. D. D., James K. Hooper to Gerreude F., daughter of the late George F. Williams, all of Boston.

Langsdorw-Ledderer.—In this city, on Wednesday, January 27, by Rev. Dr. Gottheil, at the residence of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Sigmund Langsdorf to Fannir Ledderer, all of New York.

Mooney-Regan.—On Thursday, January 28, 1875, at Nativity church, by the Rev. William Everett, Thomas N. Mooney, oi Utica, to Miss Nellie M. Regan, of New York, McDonald—Carry.—At Fort Washington, on Wednesday evening, January 27, 1875, by the Rev. Henry A. Brann, D. D., William McDonald to Miss Mary R. Carry.

Ransom—Tennison.—On Thursday, January 28, by the Rev. Dr. Milliett, at his residence, Josephi Ransom, late of London, England, to Miss Eliza Jane Tennison, all of this city.

Tucker—Downing.—January 28, 1875, at the residence of the bride's fatner, by the Rev. Thomas Gallaudel, Mr. Charles H. Tucker, of Boston, to Miss Bertha Downing, of this city.

Worden—Latus.—On Wednesday, January 27, by the Rev. Fatner Brennan, Tromas C. Worden, of New York, to Miss Maggie E. Latus, of Williamsburg, N, Y.

ALLEN.—On Thursday evening, January 28, 1875, Andrew Allen, in the 64th year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday, January 31, at one P. M., from his late residence, 273 West Pifty-second street.

ATKINS.—On January 30, 1875, Mrs. Sarah Arkins, of No. 133 Thompson street, at twenty-five minutes after nine P. M.

Due notice will be given of the funeral in Monday's Herald.

BARKER.—In Brooklyn, on January 29, David W. BARKER, aged 65.

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Barker, aged 65.

The remains will be taken to New Haven, Conn.

Funeral at convenience of family.

Berry.—At his remience, 115 West Forty-fourth atteet, Saturday morning, January 30, very saddenly, of embolism of the heart, Thomas S. Berry.

Notice of inneral hereafter.

Brewer.—On Wednesday, January 27, Solomon R., beloved son of Mary J. and the late Nelson Brewer, aged 29 years, 10 months and 13 days.

Relatives and friends of the family, also members of the Gramerey Boat Club, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 255 West Twenty-sixth street, at ten o'clock, on Sinday, 31st inst. The remains will be taken to Tarrytown for interment.

Bradley. wife of William Bradley

The funeral services will be held at her late residence, 316 West Fifty-third street, on Sunday, January 33, at half-past three P. M.

BULL.—Suddenly, on Friday evening, January 29, Charles Guion, son of James M. Bull, Esq., in the Stin year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at St. Mark's church, Second avenne and Tenth street, on Mooday, February 1, at three o'clock P. M.

Burkystyn.—At Elizaoeth, N. J., on Fridar, January 29, Susan Badeau Burnnert, in the 59th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence, and bear of her age.

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dence of her son in iaw, , W. Hawkhurth and

Jeferson avenue, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, February I, at two o'clock P. M. Trains from Liberty street every half hour.

CAHILL.—At Westchester, on Saturday, January 30, 1875, Isabel M. CAHILL, wife of L. F. Canill, aged 24 years.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the luneral, on Monday, February I.

CASHOW.—On Thursday, January 28, Mrs. ELIZABETH CASHOW, aged 74 years, 4 months and 18 days. Relatives and friends of the lamily are respectfully invited to stiend the funeral, from the residence of her daughter, No. 98 Union place, Greenpoint, on Sunday, the 31st inst, at two o'clock P. M.

CHAPIN.—On Saturday morning, of diphtheria.

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BESSIE W., cidest daughter of Frank and Maggie
Chapin.
Funeral services at No. 365 Gates avenue. Brooklyn. to-day. Sunday, at four o'clock P. M. Reintwes and friends are invited.
COPPY.—On Friday, January 29, Mrs. MARGARET
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lyn, to-day, Sunday, at four o'clock P. M. Relatives and friends are invited.
COPPY.—On Priday, January 29, Mrs. MARGARET COPPY, ared 95 years.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday, January 31, at one o'clock, from her late residence, No. 407 West Fortleth street.
CONNELLY.—In Jersey City, on Friday, January 29, Michael Connell, and an analysis of Ponsayaney, county Galway, Ireland, in the 55th year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 143 Morgan street, at ten o'clock A. M., on Monday, February I, 1875.
CONNOVER.—On Saturday, January 30, Epfir CONNOVER, in the 78th year of her age.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the tesidence of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Powles, 182 Perry street, on Monday, Pebruary I, at eleven A. M.

CONNORTON.—At Union Hill, on Friday, January 29, Kathering Connorton, the beloved wife of Michael Connorton, a native of the county Roscommon, Ireland, aged 42 years.

The relatives and Iriends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday, January 31, at one P. M., precisely, from her late residence, crossing Christopher street lerry to Calvary Cemetery.
CONSON.—At Mariner's Harbor, S. I., on Saturday morning, January 30, Rebecca, wife of Captain A. E. Corson, in the 69th year of her age.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, on Monday, February 1, without further notice, at two P. M.

San Francisco (Cal.) papers please copy.

Creditys.—Suddenly, on January 28, Grorge H. Crolius.—Suddenly, on January 29, suddenly, of memoranous croup, Blanche Eva., youngest child of Wilham H. and Charlotte B. Crossman, aged 2 years and I month.

Relatives and Iriends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from this late residence. of within H. and Charlotte B. Crossman, aged 2 years and 1 month.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 34 Lawrence street, Brooklyn, this (Sunday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Dickinson.—in Jersey City, on January 29, 1875, WILLIAM H. DICKINSON, Sr., in the 72d year of his

Age.
Funeral from St. Mark's church, corner of Montgomery and Grove streets, on Monday, at two P.
M. Friends and family invited to attend.
D'ARNEUX.—LEONING died January 30.
Friends please take charge of remains, at 671
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Forman.—In Brooklyn, on Friday January 29, of pneumonia, John A. Forman, in the 65th year of his age.
Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, on Sunday, January 31, at half-past one, from the Franklin avenue Presbyterian church. Rev. S. P. Halsey, pastor.
Edinburgh (Scotland) papers please copy.
PREKMAN.—On Saturday, January 30, of pneumonia, Martha G., beloved wife of Edward M. Freeman, and second daughter of the late Captain James S. Nash, of Norwich, Coun., in the 30th year of her age.
Notice of fineral hereafter.
Norwich and Westerly papers please copy.
FOOTMAN.—On Friday, January 29, Katle, only daughter of Patrick and Bridget Footman, aged 6 mouths and ten days.
Funeral to-day (Sunday), at half-past one o'clock, from 508 west Frity-fifth street. Friends of the family are invited to attend.
Glennon.—On Friday, January 39, Patrick Glennon, in the 30th year of his age.
His friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, 19 Vandam street, on Sunday, 31st inst.
Hackley.—On Friday, Louisa Hackley, wife of the late Fred A. Hackley, and daughter of the late Coinnel Peter Relyea, of Albany.
Funeral at 103 Java street, Greenpoint, on Monday, at four P. M.
HART.—On Thursday, 27th inst., Fannir, daughter of therry E. Hart.
Funeral from 453 West Seventy-first street, on Sunday morning, at hall-past nine o'clock.
Hartnert.—On January 28, Daniel Hartnert, aged 64 years. The deceased was a native of Killarney, county Kerry, Ireland.
Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this day (Sunday), at one o'clock, prompt, from his late residence, No. 128 Beekman street.
Hughes on Wednesday morning, February 3, at nine o'clock, at St. Anthony's church, Sullivan street.
Jongs.—On Saturday, January 30, at one o'clock, after a long and severe illness, John J., second

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JONES.—On Saturday, January 30, at one o'clock, after a long and severe liliness, John J., second eldest son of William and Margaret Jones.

The friends of the family and the members of Company C, Seventy-ninth regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 740 East Ninth street, on Monday afternoon, at half-past one o'clock. o'clock.

KELLY.—At the residence of his grandmother,
Mrs. Boyle, 98 Nassan street, Brooklyn, John
PELLY, son of Anna T, and the late Jeremiah
Kelly, aged 17 years.

Notice of the luneral hereafter.

and.—On Saturday, January 30, at eight ock A. M., John Lane, aged 40 years, 6 months O'clock A. M., JOHN LANG, aged 40 years, 6 months and 7 days.

Memoers of John D. Willard Lodge, No. 256, P. and A. M., and Turtle Bay Lodge, No. 342, I. O. of O. F., are respectfully-notified.

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LETSON.—Suddenly, on Friday, January 29, WILLIAM WARREN LETSON, in the 48th year of his age.

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The relatives and friends of the family and memoers of Atlas Looge, F. and A. M., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, at his late residence, 233 Fourth street, corner of West Tenth street, on Modday, February 1, at half-past one o'clock.

Atlas Lodge are hereby summoned to attend a special communication at the lodge rooms, Masonic Temple on Monday, February 1, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, William W. Letson. By order of Albergt H. Daklin, Master.

Geo. W. Duryer, Secretary.

Linahan.—On Thursday, January 28, after a short liness, Charles Linahan, native of Castletown, Roche, county Cork, Ireland, in the 50th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from his late residence, 25 Greenwich street, this (Sunday) afternoon, at one o'clock.

Markell.—On Wednesday, January 27, 1875, after a short liness, Daniel Markell, aged 56 years and 7 months.

The friends and acquaintances are invited to attend his funeral, from his late review, in Frospect street, near vernon avenue. Flatbush, on

The friends and acquaintances are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, in Prospect Street, hear Vernon avenue, Flatbush, on Sunday, 31st, at half-past three o'clock, to the Gemetery of the Holy Cross.

MORTIMOR.—PORTER COUNCIL, NO. 1, M. B. of B.—BRETHERN—FOR are respectfully invited to attend a special meeting, on Sunday, January 31, at twelve o'clock sharp, at 183 Bowery, to unite in paying the last tribute of respect to our late worthy brother, William Mortimor. Brethren of sister councils will please attend. By order of the W. C.—CHARLES SIEVERT, Secretary.

MURPHY.—On Friday, the 20th, Micharl Murphy, a native of Limerick, Ireland, in the 77th year of his age.

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The irlends of the family are respectivily invited to attend the luneral, this day (Sunday), at half-past one o'clock, from the residence of his son-in-law, Thomas Holahan, No. 582 Hindson street.

McGoven.—On Saturday, January 30, of membranous croup, Waltren Thomas, only son of Thomas and Annie McGovern, aged 3 years, 11 months and 17 days.

Funeral will take place on Monday, February I, at one o'clock P. M., from the residence of his parents, No. 162 West Fourth street. Interment in Calvary cemetery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

McNULTY.—On Saturday, January 33, Mary, beloved wife of Bernard McNulty, in the 73d year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also

The relatives and friends of the family, also those of her sons, Charles and Bernard, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 337 Fifth street, on Monday, Penrary 1, at one o'clock P. M.

NEVIN.—On Friday, January 29, John J. McNevin, Jr., a native of Ballinasioe, county Gaiway, Ireland.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from the residence of his brother wilhiam, 293 Third avenue, on Sunday, January 31, at one o'clock P. M.

NEWCOMS.—On Saturday, January 39, 1875.

ELIZABETH NEWCOMS, widow of Hon. Obadish Newcomb, deceased, in the 78th year of her age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service, at the residence of her son, Dr. O. Newcomb, 235 East Tweith street, on Tuesday, February 2, at eleven o'clock A. M.

Nicholason.—On Wednesday, January 27, Sarah E., wife of Albert B. Nicholson, in the 40th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to amend the funeral, from her late residence, 405 West Filty-filt screet, on Sunday, 31st inst., at one o'clock P. M.

NOLAN.—On January 28, Mary Jany, wife of John E. Nolan, and daughter of John and Eliza Reilly, aged 22 years.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the

E. Nolan, and daugner of the state of the aged 22 years.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral. from her tate residence, 407 Hudson street, on Sunday, at one o'clock, to Calvary Cem-

O'BRIEN.—On Thursday, January 28, at five As M., William G. O'Brien, aged 38 years, 10 month. and 15 days.

The relatives and friends of the family, and those of the father-in-law, Lawrence R. Kerr, Esq.; also members of the various associations to which day

ceased belonged, are invited to attend the faneral, from his late residence, 455 Second avenue, on Monday morning, February I, at half-past nine o'clock. The remains will be conveyed to the Church of the Epiphany Twenty-first street and Second avenue, where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul; thence to Calvary Cemetery.

The members of Excelsior Fishing Club are earnestly requested to meet at the Putnam House, on Monday, February I, at nine A. M. sharp, to proceed in a body to pay the last tribute of respect to our late comrade, William C. O'Brien.

L. D. G. BROOKS, President,
W. Henry Brown, Secretary.

Association of Exempt Firemen:—The members of the above association are hereby notified to meet at No. 455 Second avenue, on Monday, February I, at half-past inte o'clock A. M., for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to our late worthy member, William C. O'Brien.

The Firemen's Ball Committee are requested to meet at No. 248 Fourth avenue on Monday, February I, 1873, at nine o'clock A. M., sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late associate, William C. O'Brien.

JAMES CAMERON, Secretary:
Whereas the Fire Department Ball Committee of the city of New York have received with sadness the intelligence of the demise of their former associate, William C. O'Brien; and
Wiereas while we bow with humility to the behests of Almighty God, we profoundly regret the loss of such a warm hearted companion, genial gentleman and true man the interest he giver manifested for the cause in which we were engaged developed a sincerity of purpose that commanded the respect and regard of those with whom he was surrounded and bound him to them by the strongest ties of unalloyed friendsailp and esteem; therefore be it
Resolved, That in the death of William C. O'Brien the Fire Department Ball Committee feel that they have lost a cherished companion, an energetic and honored member, and one who, by his manly presence, lent dignity to their body.

Associate, William C. Der the

court; and whereas we deem it due to his memory that his merit should receive fitting tribute from those who knew and orized his worth in his; and whereas we deeply sympathize with the sorrowing widow in her bereavement and the loss sustained by mourning relatives and friends; be it therefore

Resolved, That while we lament the loss by death of our deceased friend and brother, william C. O'Brien, we experience a sad and mournal satisfaction and pride in paying just tribute to his brilliant talents and to the kindly qualities of heart which rendered his life not only useful to the community as a citizen and officer, but endeared him to a large circle of friends, who had learned to appreciate the promptings which made him ever ready to sid the weak and unfortunate, equally fearless and faitural to resist wrong and oppression, and shedding high and genial, generous nature.

Resolved, That sympathizing with his honored wedded partner and relatives and iriends, we tender to them this expression of our esteem for the deceased during his lifetime, our honor for his memory and heartfelt condoience on the bereavement which has cast gloom in the desoluted home and sourcowing social circle.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolutions be properly engrossed, duly anthenticated and presented by a committee to the beloved companion of our deceased friend and associate, as a tribute to his memory and an evidence of our sincere sympathy in the great loss which she has sustained.

JOHN H. WHITMORE, Chairman.

JOHN S. CLARK, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Phoenix Club, held at their rooms, No. 248 Fourth avenue, on Saturday evening, January 30, 1875, Air, James M. Macgregor in the chair, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to summon from this life our beloved friend and associate, William C. O'Brien; therefore

Resolved, That in his death the Phoenix Club mourns the loss of an estimable gentleman and genial iriend, whose qualities of mind and hear

genial friend, whose qualities of mind and heart endeared him to all who had the pleasure of his society.

Resolved, That our deepest sympathy is hereby extended to his bereaved whe and grief stricken relatives in this their bour of sorrow.

Resolved, That the members of this club, of which he was an able and zealous executive officer, attend the funeral in a body, and that a copy of these resolutions be suitably engrossed and presented to his widow.

JAMES M. MACGREGOR, President.

WILLIAM H. KELLY, Secretary.

O'HARE.—On Friday, January 29, Mrs. Mary Ann O'HARE.—On Friday, January 29, Mrs. Mary Ann O'HARE. aged 50 years.

Funeral to take place on Monday, Pebruary 1, from 226 East Twentieth street.

O'SULLIVAN.—On Saturday, January 30, of pneumonia, in this city, at her residence, 53 King street, Miss Hannah O'SULLIVAN, aged 25 years.

Funeral to Calvary Cemetery this day, at halfpast one o'clock P. M.

Cork (Ireland) papers please copy.

Pillor.—At Madrou, Ha., on January 21, HENRY R., son of A. P. Pillot.

The Irlends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from St. Mark's church, Orange, N. J., on Monday, February 1, on arrival of the Morris and Essex train, leaving New York at ten minutes past one o'clock P. M.

REEDY.—JOHN REEDY, in the 26th year of his age.

The relatives and Irlends of the Iamily are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, James Reedy, No. 299 South Fourth street, Brookiya, E. D., at one o'clock Sunday, January 31.

REYNOLDS.—On Friday, January 29, William H.

residence of his brother, James Reedy, No. 299 South Fourth street, Brooklyn, E. D., at one o'clock, Sunday, January 31.

REYNOLDS.—On Friday, January 29, William H. REYNOLDS, in the 28th year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family, also members of Amaranthus Lodge, No. 352, L. O. of O. F., are invited to attend the funeral services, on Sunday atternoon, 31st inst., at three o'clock, from his late residence. No. 322 West Eighteenth street. The remains will be taken to Ridgefield, N. J., on Monday, at ten A. M., for interment.

AMARANTHUS LODGE, No. 129, L. O. OP O. F.—BRETHERN—YOU are requested to meet at No. 322 West Eighteenth street, on Sunday January 31, 1875, at three o'clock P. M., to pay the last tribute of respect to our worthy Brother W. Reynolds.

RIDER.—At Greenpoint, on Wednesday, January 27, ISABELLA, the beloved wife of James P. Rider, in the Sath year oi her age.

The irrends of the family and those of her grand-son-in-law, Mr. T. McGoey, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. T. McGoey, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. T. McGoey, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at one o'clock P. M.; from thence to the Cemeter of the Holy Cross for Interment.

ROYSCHE.—On Friday, January 29, PETER P.

ment.
ROUECHE.—On Friday, January 29, PETER F.

this day (Sunday), at one o'clock P. M.; from thence to the Cemetery of the Holy Cross for interment.

ROUECHE.—On Friday, January 29, PETER P. ROUECHE. aged 52 years.

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from the residence of Mr. P. Cayot, No. 30 Marion street, on Sunday, January 31, at one o'clock. Interred at Calvary Cemetery.

Sawyer.—In Brooklyn. January 29, 1875, of consumption, Roswell. Hopkins Sawyer, in the 72d year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from the Church of the Good Shepherd. McDonough street, near stuyves and avenue. Brooklyn, on Monday, Pebruary 1, at two o'clock. Fuiton avenue cars to Stuyvessant avenue.

Scott.—On Friday, January 29, James, the infant son of David and Elien Scott, aged 3 months and 17 days.

Puteral on Sunday. January 31, at half-past one P. M., from the residence of his parents, 192 Freeman street, Greenpoint, L. I.

Sheldon.—At 125 East Twenty-seventh street, on Fricay, January 29, of entero-colitis, Prank Deems, infant son of Welcome E. and Hannah M. Sheldon, aged 19 days.

Snivelly.—On Friday evening, after a short illness, Eliza Josephine, wife of Dr. J. C. Bnively, aged 35 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfuly invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 139 Clinton street, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday, February 2, at two o'clock.

Stapleton,—On Friday, January 29, Micharl Stark, on Sunday, 31st inst., at one P. M.

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The relatives and iriends of the family and those of his brother Francis are most respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her latered of the fam

Downing atreets, this (Sunday) alternoon, at one of clock P. M.

EVASGRIST LODGE, No. 600, F. and A. M.—
BRETHERN:—You are hereby notified to meet at the lodge room to-day (Sunday), January 31, at hair-past twelve P. M., precisely, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late orother, isnac Wedder. Brethren of sister lodges are respectively invited to join with us.

J. H. Jones, Secretary.

WILLS.—At Rockaway, first month, 25th day, George T, Willis in the 77th year of ma age.